

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1-54 (Cancelled)

55 (Previously Presented): A method for detecting a Norovirus in a specimen comprising:

contacting a specimen to be tested for the presence of Norovirus with an immobilized anti-Norovirus antibody at a pH ranging from 9 to 10 for a time and under conditions sufficient for binding to occur, and

detecting binding between the specimen and the anti-Norovirus antibody thereby detecting Norovirus in the specimen.

56 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 55, further comprising contacting said specimen with a second labeled anti-Norovirus antibody.

57 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 55, which is a sandwich method wherein said specimen is contacted with an immobilized anti-Norovirus antibody and then simultaneously or subsequently contacted with labeled anti-Norovirus antibody.

58 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 55, wherein said specimen is a food.

59 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 55, wherein said specimen is a bodily tissue, blood or another bodily fluid, vomit or stool.

60 (Previously Presented): A method for detecting a Sapovirus in a specimen comprising:

contacting a specimen to be tested for the presence of Sapovirus with an immobilized anti-Sapovirus antibody at a pH ranging from 9 to 10 for a time and under conditions sufficient for binding to occur, and

detecting binding between the specimen and the anti-Sapovirus antibody thereby detecting Sapovirus in the specimen.

61 (Previously Presented): A method of claim 60, further comprising contacting said specimen with a second labeled anti-Sapovirus antibody.

62 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 60, which is a sandwich method wherein said specimen is contacted with an immobilized anti-Sapovirus antibody and then simultaneously or subsequently contacted with labeled anti-Sapovirus antibody.

63 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 60, wherein said specimen is a food.

64 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 60, wherein said specimen is a bodily tissue, blood or another bodily fluid, vomit or stool.